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Re: U. S. Patent Application No. 10/601,615 filed June 23, 2003 - Our File: 1-73826

Attached is a Supplemental Response along with Declaration of George B. Byma. Please contact this office if you have any questions. Thank you.

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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Honorable Sir:

Reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in
light of the following remarks.

REMARKS

As a supplement to the Response filed on June 26, 2006, a Declaration from
one of the inventors that describes the drawbacks associated with known structures,
such as shown in the Arthurs reference (see Paragraphs 2 & 3) is enclosed. The
Declaration also discusses the long-felt need created by such drawbacks (see
Paragraphs 3 & 7) and the significant advantages attained by the claimed invention